Also, presented a petition of Margaret M. Dickehut, of the city of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from her husband, Henry F. Dickehut;

Which were severally read and referred to the committee on

divorces:

Mr. Giles, also presented a memorial of George Stonebraker, Moir and Hopkins, and others, of the city of Baltimore, praying for an act to incorporate the Lombard Hotel company;

Which was read and referred to the committee on corporations.

Mr. Carter presented a petition of William Orrell, Joshua Clark, and Edward B. Hardcastle, of Caroline county, praying to be discharged from the payment of certain interest therein mentioned;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Carter, Boon, and

Jump of Caroline.

Mr. Wilmer presented a petition of John Tilghman and others, trustees of the poor for Queen Anne's county, praying for the repeal of certain laws therein mentioned;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Wilmer, Harrison and

Roberts.

And, Mr. Hopewell presented a petition of Peregrine Hayden, of St. Mary's county, praying the passage of an act, to authorise the Levy court of said county, to allow him further compensation for the condemnation of a part of his land, as a public road;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Hopewell, Causin and

Ford.

Mr. Maulsby submitted the following message, which was read, assented to, and sent to the senete:

By the House of Delegates, February 28th, 1838.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

In pursuance of resolution, No. 41, of December session, 1832, we propose the appointment of a joint committee to investigate and report to the General Assembly, the proceedings of the Board of Visiters and Governors of St. John's College.

We have appointed Messrs. Maulsby, Ghiselin, Kerr, Ford, Grason, Geyer and Carroll, to join the gentlemen who may be se-

lected on the part of your honorable body.

By order,

George G. Brewer, Clerk.

Mr. Simmons submitted the following message, which was read, assented to, and sent to the senate:

By the House of Delegates, February 28, 1838.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We have received the message of your honorable body, proposing to appoint a joint committee to wait on his Excellency the Governor, and to invite him to attend in the Senate Chamber, on this day, at 4 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of signing such laws